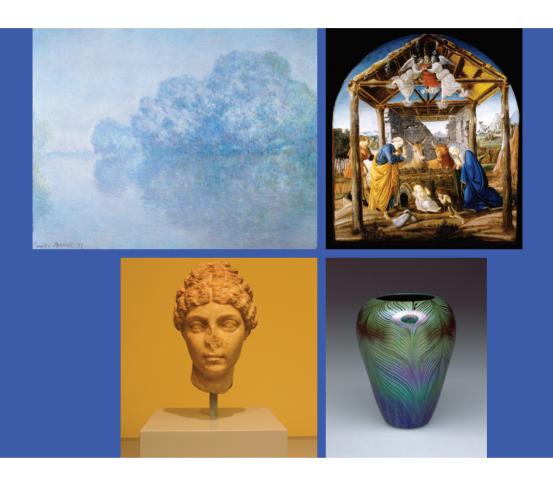
Art globally, viewed locally.



Where is Botticelli's only fresco outside of Italy? Where can you see art glass by Tiffany? How about Monet without the crowds? The simple answer is the Columbia Museum of Art in Columbia, SC. The 25 galleries of the museum feature a surprisingly international collection in a very relaxed, uncrowded environment. It's the perfect place to get a taste of the world in one afternoon.

Clockwise from upper left:

Claude Monet, The Seine at Giverny, 1897; Sandro Botticelli, The Nativity, 1475-1480; Anonymous, Roman Portrait Bust, c. 141 A.D.; Tiffany Studios, Peacock Vase, c. 1896-1928.

